

THE LOCAL NEWS.....

CITY AND COUNTY

From Wednesday's Daily.

Mike Lawler left today for the Colorado river.

Mrs. R. R. Coleman left yesterday for a two weeks' visit to Los Angeles.

Get in now. Merchants' stock, fifty cents. Riblet, Reese & McCallen Co., Bank of Arizona building.

A. A. Wolf, who was taken into custody by the officers a few days since, was adjudged insane yesterday.

C. M. Bass is engaged in the new and stationary business at the new town of Douglas in Southern Arizona.

J. H. Slack has returned from San Diego where he has been since last winter and will return to mining again in this country.

E. D. Seaton of Turkey creek has arranged for the purchase of a lot of timber from the government and will shortly commence cutting lumber.

Going fast, buy 'em now, strike while the iron is hot. Merchants' Mining company stock for sale by Riblet, Reese & McCallen Real Estate Co.

Lewis W. McCandless arrived in Prescott on Monday evening from Kansas City, where he is engaged in the practice of law, for a visit with his father.

It is rumored that Jack Farrell will have the support of a lot of unions in his candidacy for the position of sheriff. Farrell is an old time miner in this country.

Hughes Mosher, a seven-year-old boy, was taken into the creek yesterday when it was flooded and went into a hole nearly drowning. Three companions saved his life.

Governor F. A. Tritle reports that his opening of a mining exchange and real estate office has been preceded through his efforts to secure a lease on the building he desired.

Merchants' Mining company stock is going fine hot cakes. The new firm of Riblet, Reese & McCallen who are handling this stock exclusively have made a great number of sales.

Three Yuma men have planned a trip to the Tiburon islands in a gasoline launch to explore that section of the country. The Indians on Tiburon are in the habit of sending their visitors. This may be the fate which awaits these Yuma men on their arrival.

The Riblet, Reese & McCallen Co. has a big new advertisement in this issue to which attention is directed. The company is engaged in the real estate and mining business, and is the company selected by the Merchants' Mining company for the sale of its stock.

Women's Clubs Abroad, by Helen M. Winslow, will interest all women readers, but particularly club women, for it marks the growth and development of a wonderful movement. Mrs. Winslow's article will interest the public a more complete and authoritative account of the work of women's clubs in foreign lands than has heretofore appeared.

Charles Raible will leave tomorrow for Indianapolis to spend his vacation visiting his sister. That is the announcement which he makes. His friends however tell the same story with a little variation to it. They say there is a little girl in Colorado, noted for its melons and pretty girls, where Mr. Raible will make a stop and that from this point on he will not make the journey alone. He neither affirms or denies this story so that readers may judge for themselves.

Virgil Eary is paying his first visit to Prescott today in two years, coming from Kirkland valley. He says that the Lord kindled his love for earth, and while he (Virgil) is just in the act of pulling up stakes and filling his canteen with all the water there was left, along comes a sailing ship that has been following by the ranch daily for over a week. He says the ranch and the mine in that section now present a pretty appearance and the good accomplished by the mine has been of great benefit to all interests.

N. C. Webster got his car load of twenty animals through to Phoenix yesterday en route to Tombstone. He says that all sold, in dead and half-dead condition, but were alongside of a large boulder during the progress of the train. He remembered hearing a tremendous clap of thunder and then for an instant saw a flash of fire which fell over and it was over two hours before he regained consciousness. In speaking of his experience to friends he says that after awakening he lay for an hour before he could conveniently handle his limbs to permit of walking and in addition to this he was very sick at the stomach. His theory of the matter is that the lightning, which hit a boulder near by with full force and that he received but a flash from the main current when it forked. He thinks of nothing himself on now as a sure thing no conductor for any electrical purpose either above or below the earth.

Four mining location notices were filed today.

J. R. Beaton has been appointed a deputy recorder.

H. C. Kruger was in town today filing the Probationary Copper Mining Company's camp.

A marriage license was issued today to George Lawrence and Mae Cox, both of Jerome.

Walter F. Douglas has decided a number of mining claims in Blue Tank district to John R. Boyd for \$2,000.

Up to date seven men have announced their willingness to run for sheriff on the democratic ticket, four for superiors, and one each for recorder, treasurer, independent of public instruction, district attorney and legislative council.

George Scammell has announced himself as a candidate for the legislative council. Would it be "for you?" Scammell is thought to be a great job. He represented a similar job on his first few years ago by announcing himself as a candidate for office.

By deeds filed today A. P. Sawyer, L. H. Davis and Sallie B. Hill convey an undivided interest in the Baca grant, amounting to \$46,000 acres of land each, to E. B. Perrin. The consideration named in the first two deeds is \$1,800.00 and in the latter \$1,888.70.

A mortgage or deed of trust was filed for record today in which the consideration named was \$200,000.00. The party executing the same was the Baca Land Grant corporation, and the party to whom it was given was the Commercial Trust Company of Cincinnati, the property affected being the Baca grant in this country.

Walter Arnold of the Verde arrived in Prescott last night and gives any thing but good news as to the amount of water flowing in that stream, saying that during a residence there of over thirty years never has he seen the water in the Verde as low as it is today. The Verde valley is located in one of the greatest water sheds of Northern Arizona, and the limited supply of this water together with the light snows of last winter in adjacent mountains drained by this valley, is creating some alarm among people in that locality. Mr. Arnold says that while crossing the Agua Fria he was astonished to notice the evidences of what must have occurred at the Del Norte dam during Monday's rainfall, stating that the water was over 250 yards wide and at least four feet in depth. While there have been daily rains in the vicinity of Prescott the past week, the water seems to have been confined to any but the extensive agricultural valleys.

From Thursday's Daily.

A. C. Handerson is in town from the Gladiator.

W. T. Hall went to Congress today.

Probate Judge Hicks is quite sick again and is under the care of a trained nurse.

There was another "gully washer" of a storm in Lounesau valley yesterday afternoon.

On account of the closing down of the smelter at Jerome, T. F. Miller & Co. have discharged ten clerks.

A brick and cement reservoir is being built in the plaza, in the center of which it is proposed to place a fountain.

Alfred Avery is able to sit up. While he is quite weak he says he feels better than he has felt for several years.

W. A. Cline today sold his saloon to Hall & McNulty. The saloon is the old Cob Web, one of the old time places of the town.

A. H. Horton had an operation performed on him on Sunday for an abscess which formed as a result of a strain sustained at the depot.

C. A. Randall came up from Phoenix yesterday. Mr. Randall is at present and has for some months been right of way agent for the Phoenix and Eastern railroad.

Governor Brodie has appointed Rev. F. L. Drew of Tempe, a member of the Tempe Normal School board, and J. C. Grim a member of the Flagstaff Normal School board.

A Mexican, with one wife, six children, six dogs and six burros, applied to the board of supervisors yesterday for relief. His wife was injured by being thrown from a burro.

"Wonder what Rogers will have to say any way when he gets around to this?" was a remark overheard yesterday from a democrat on the street.

"The Journal-Miner professes to regard Geo. Scammell's announcement for the territorial council as a joke. If George should get the nomination the joke would be on the other fellow, when the J.-M. would tout for—"Courier. The joke would be on either Scammell or the demagogue, and it is difficult to determine which.

B. H. Weaver has commenced building on the lots opposite the Sherman House, on the site of his former residence. He has one three-apartment house of two rooms each almost completed, and will build another one. These will be located on the alley, and it is his intention to build a six-room apartment house on the front of the lot.

Prescott today lost, temporarily at least, a good citizen in the person of Ed. Bartick, who was taken to the left on today's train for Parachute, Colorado, with the intention of remaining there. Mr. Bartick has been in the city for some time, and it is just possible that after a short residence in Colorado he may decide to return here. Nearly every one who has ever lived in Prescott has known him, and he is a well known figure in the city.

The rain storm of last Saturday night seems to have been preceded by the water shed of the Agua Fria river. Mr. Kruger says he never saw a harder rain storm than that which fell on the Prescott Copper Company's camp. The water poured down the Agua Fria river in perfect torrents and washed the bed of the stream from four to eight feet deeper than it was prior to the storm. He is crossing under by the Bannum. Copper company was washed several feet deeper and will require the making of new tracks to the mine. The water was there where there was a fall of twenty feet in the river, a water course was washed across these falls and one can now drive from Bowers' ranch bed down the stream in the river bed.

From Friday's Daily.

John Gray is in town from Poland.

Mrs. J. L. Munda is on the sick list.

J. R. Liston came in last evening from the Bradshaw.

Jacob Henkle is in town from the Bradshaw.

F. L. Wright went to Phoenix last evening on a brief business trip.

Mrs. Ira Tutt left today for Los Angeles to remain until Sept. 1.

The Poland company let out thirty men last evening on account of the lack of water.

Dr. Criley, who has been confined to his home for several weeks, is able to be out again.

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Delegates arrived this morning from the south to attend the labor convention which meets in Prescott tomorrow.

Joe Roberts left for California yesterday. He hopes of more rapidly recuperating from the effects of running a rusty spike in his foot.

G. A. Bny and Charles A. Binford will leave tomorrow for Los Angeles. The police have been notified of their coming and will look after them.

The railroad company has a new freight shed almost completed adjoining the depot. It makes a very decided improvement in the way of handling freight.

R. M. Dougherty returned last evening from his visit to California. He had been absent about two weeks. He expected to remain for a month but took severe cold and was compelled to return to Arizona for his health.

The United States civil service commission announces that on September 9, 1902, an examination will be held at the usual place, here, the position of interpreter (German, French, Polish and Italian) in the immigration service.

An important meeting will be held in Prescott tomorrow. It will consist of delegates from the different labor organizations in the territory and is intended for the purpose of organizing a federation of wage earners.

Mrs. Geo. W. Middleton today purchased the lot on Pleasant street formerly owned by J. M. Aiken. It is on the corner of the alley just north of the school house and has a stone foundation. The sale was made through Riblet, Reese & McCallen Co.

Dr. W. E. Day, official weather observer reports yesterday's rainfall at .38 of an inch. The rainfall for the month previously amounted to .22 of an inch, making a total for August of .60 of an inch. The July rainfall was .78 hundredths making a total for the season of 1.38 inches.

A Los Angeles correspondent of the Journal for Investors in speaking of the little one, said in a letter to that paper says: "The Jerome Reporter advocates a raising of the valuation to three million dollars and states that our million dollars would be a mere trifle."

Dixon Fagerburg, representing Runkle & Peacock, merchandise brokers, of El Paso, has opened an office in Prescott. He is an energetic man and is greatly pleased with Prescott since he came here. He has his office under the Bank of Arizona with Riblet, Reese & McCallen. The firm represented by Mr. Fagerburg is among the largest merchandise brokers in the southwest.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Drake left yesterday for Pueblo, Colorado, being called there by the death of their grand child, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. McClure. The little one was about a year and a half old and was the only child of the couple. It was a great favorite not only with its own relatives, but with all who had seen it and its death is a sore affliction not only to its parents, but Mr. and Mrs. Drake and family as well.

From Saturday's Daily.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Evans, of Phoenix, are in town.

Miss Posie Hance came up this morning from Phoenix.

James Roach has been appointed postmaster at Hooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Friedman have gone to Copper Basin for their vacation.

The new school house will contain about 80,000 bricks when completed.

The Old Fellows' new building is looming up now into shape of a fine large structure.

Fitzsimmons & Keating have been making 90,000 bricks per week up to the time the rains set in.

Wm. Murphy has gone to Salt Lake to attend the grand lodge of Elks.

There was a nice gentle down pour of rain last evening for about five minutes. It was the best rain of the season.

Pete Boscha brought two Mexicans up from Congress yesterday. They were charged with burglary.

Owing to repairs being made on the church there will be no services in the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday, August 10.

A young Mexican shepherd named Fernin, of Holbrook, attempted to commit suicide recently by shooting himself while drunk.

Mrs. James Cash and her twelve-year-old daughter left yesterday for Honolulu where Mrs. Cash has a brother and two sisters residing.

"Self Control" will be the subject of the sermon at the Baptist church tomorrow morning. There will be no evening service on account of the union young people's meeting at the Methodist church, south.

On account of absence from the city of Rev. Leon Lewis, pastor of West Prescott Methodist church, there will be no preaching at that church Sunday morning. The Sunday school meets as usual at 10 o'clock.

Governor A. A. Brodie has appointed A. J. Donan, E. Greenwood, A. Haggitt, J. B. Tomlinson and J. R. Leonard as delegates from the territory to the International Mining congress, which will be held at Butte, Montana, September 1.

Mr. Whalen, who came here to organize the laboring men of Prescott, held a meeting last evening at the Murphy office, at which the negatives of Humphries, the photographer, and any person desiring prints from the same can get them by applying at above address.

Hon. T. C. Job has moved into his new residence on North M. Vernon avenue. One of the most pleasing features of the building is the I. X. L. selected red birch floors, high grade, which are as smooth as glass, even colored and thoroughly stained.

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YOUR APPETITE

Invariably tells the condition of your stomach. If you do not eat but feel hungry, if your stomach is out of order, if you feel indigestion, if you feel bloated, if you feel nervous, if you feel weak, if you feel tired, if you feel ill, if you feel anything wrong, your appetite will return, your food will be properly digested, and your health in general will be better. It cures Belching, Indigestion, Headache, Indigestion, Dyspepsia and Constipation.

HOSTETTER'S Stomach Bitters.

J. W. Smith is in town from Oatave.

Miss Virginia Johnson of Los Angeles is the guest of Miss Helen Burmeister.

Last evening's rains were to be general all over the northern part of the territory.

Dr. J. S. Barrett's mother arrived in Prescott a few days ago for a visit of several months here.

The Rev. David McLeod of Los Angeles will occupy the pulpit at the Congregational church their quarterly morning at 11 o'clock. No evening service until September.

W. H. Wingfield is in town today from Camp Verde. He reports that very little rain has fallen in the valley yet, although heavy rains are reported in the mountains. There has only been one small flood in the river yet, the water rising to a depth of about three feet.

The Young People's societies of the M. E. church, the Methodist Church South, the Congregational and Baptist churches will hold their quarterly union meeting at the Methodist Church at 8 o'clock Sunday evening. In consequence of this there will be no preaching at that church for several churches tomorrow night.

The will of the late G. H. La Berte was filed with the probate court today. It was dated September 7, 1883, and was made by G. H. La Berte, a resident of the county of Coconino, Arizona, and was bequeathed to his wife and she is named as executrix of the estate without bonds. The value of the estate is estimated at between \$5,000 and \$6,000.

Senator W. A. Clark has purchased the Helena, Montana, Independent. The purchase price was \$150,000. This makes two papers owned by the Senator, the other one being the Butte Miner. He is also credited with owning a controlling interest in a Salt Lake paper. The latter is a republican in politics and the former two are democrats.

An attendance of about thirty-five or forty was reported at the session of labor union men today. The meeting was held in Dougherty's hall. Most of the delegates were from miners' unions in the county although some were from other places. The purpose of having all labor unions represented. The attendance from outside counties was also small, only a few delegates being present.

A cutting scrape occurred this afternoon on the Burke corner, between Billy Miles and a man named Jim Lewis. The former did the cutting using a large pocket knife. The affair was the outgrowth of abusive language by Lewis, and Miles also stated that he was also threatened. The wounded man was taken to the county hospital, and an examination of him shows that he is not seriously injured. The abdomen deeply and it was believed that it would terminate fatally. Miles was taken to jail.

Governor and Mrs. A. O. Brodie came up on this morning's train from the south, accompanied by their son, who is a student at the University of California. They are here to see the country and to see Prescott since assuming the duties of his office and he was accorded a most cordial welcome by his numerous friends, and the change of location has more friends or well wishers in Prescott than he. They expect to remain here for three or four days. From here Governor Brodie and his family will go to the Williams and Flagstaff, remaining one day at each place.

A letter has been received in Phoenix from J. O. Dunbar, who is on the coast for the benefit of his health. It states that he is getting on well and is in good condition as he would expect from his long rest near the sea shore. He states that he is not as well as he was when he first went there, and has been seized by pains and had fallen off in weight fifty pounds. He is now being treated by a Chinese physician in Los Angeles.

The brightest and most satisfactory number of the Garden of the Gods magazine just issued, is the August number just out. The magazine shows marked improvement over previous numbers and the contributions include a number of well known western writers. Rev. Ammi B. Heyde of the Denver University, editor of the most widely known educators of the country and a student of men, begins a series of articles on "Some Phases of Mountain Character." Rev. A. Lester Hazlett, who has a special commission to visit the Philippines and the islands. The magazine announces Mrs. John Vance Cheney, who is well known to every club woman of America, as a department editor.

From Monday's Daily

About 1500 voters have registered up to date.

Dr. O. L. Geer, of Martinez, is in town today.

F. L. Wright has returned from his trip to Phoenix.

Dr. Day reports the rain fall yesterday 1.71 inches.

W. E. Defty came up from the south on Saturday.

Judge C. P. Hicks was able to be down town yesterday.

Dr. G. W. Vickers, of the Arizona Republican, is in town.

Mrs. Geo. C. West returned Saturday evening from her visit east.

The heaviest and best rain of the season visited Prescott yesterday.

Miss Townbridge has moved her art studio to 229 N. Mt. Vernon St.

M. Z. Farrell came in from his Williamson valley ranch yesterday.

Mrs. Wm. Ashton and her son have gone to Oregon to visit relatives.

Miss B. Myers, sister of Mrs. M. Stein, arrived from Los Angeles last evening.

C. S. Scott of the Phoenix Republican, has returned from his visit to Jerome.

Judge R. E. Sloan and family returned last evening from their visit to Ohio.

J. E. Munro, representing Foster-Milburn & Co. of Buffalo, New York, is in town.

Prof. Anderson of the Tempe normal school is spending his vacation in Prescott.

KIRKLAND AND SKULL VALLEY.

Mr. Ed Gooch, of the Big Five Placer company, is on a flying visit to California, pending the arrival of some forgotten parts at the factory of their lately installed new placer mining machine. Owing to the over-mentioned they are unable to start until the parts arrive.

Mr. Henry Goshank recently took a ride on "Shanks' Mare" across the mountains from his mines in Copper Basin to Prescott. He was very agreeably surprised at the new Prescott which he saw on his second visit since the first—everything new, neat, tasty, strong and substantial. He expressed the greatest surprise however at Joe Dougherty going out of the livery business and consequently horse trading. He fears Joe will sell his colts to break off so sudden, and advises him to join the Salvation Army, or do something else of the kind to keep his blood up to its normal standard.

Messrs. Munds and Morris have been very busy during the discovery and location work on their group of mines below the U. S. mine.

The U. S. mines in Copper Basin are energetically pushed ahead, but cannot learn about the status of the ore, etc. However, to judge by teaming from Prescott to the mines and various other signs on the substructure plane, the company has confidence in the Copper Basin prospects, and will put up concentrators and probably acquire title to more prospects.

Messrs. Kyle, Lay & Co. are still busy tunneling and developing their claims in Copper Basin. They expect to have them ready for experts to look at in a short time.

Mr. Goshank again reports burglary of one of his camps. An attempt to break into a room in a twain and beans, salt, coffee and salmon to the value of four bits taken. This is a great thing to risk going to the penitentiary and about for getting clothing warranted to hurt. On the other hand, for a poet and philosopher to trail a man for four bits worth of grub, revenge and a small padlock looks like a very small business, but it will have to be done yet, as it is feared the language provoked has a tendency to keep the rains back.

Mr. Myer, an employee, at the Big Five camp, is reported by Charles Emery, who just arrived in Kirkland after medicine, to be quite sick.

C. W. Platt is still developing his mines.

O. L. Anderson, the mail carrier to Walnut and Wagoner is building a new house in Kirkland.

Lily Dale.

Ladies Can Wear Shoes

One size smaller after using Allen's Foot-Powder, for it causes the foot to shrink into the shoe. It makes tight shoes feel easy; gives instant relief to corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Cures and prevents swollen feet, biliousness, callous and sore spots. Allen's Foot-Powder is a certain cure for sweating, hot, itching feet. At all druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Don't accept any substitute. Trial package free by mail. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

The Curtis Comedy company closes a successful engagement at Phoenix tonight, and will leave Thursday night for Deming, Texas, to play a three weeks' engagement there. The company will be replaced at the park in Phoenix by Mr. Curtis' other company, the Curtis Comedy company, who will play at the park during the summer months.

The following is the weather report received at the depot this morning: Ash Fork, clear, calm, cool, had little rain last night; Cedar Glade, clear, calm, cool, had light shower last evening from 7 to 8; Jerome Junction to Phoenix, clear, calm, mild, no rain last night; Poland Branch to Phoenix, P. M. 25; Poland Branch, clear, calm, mild, no rain last night.

In accordance with instructions sent out from the mother church, there has been a change of the church readers in all the Christian churches, the change having taken place on the same date.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Wells, who have been first and second readers in the Prescott Christian Science church, have been succeeded by Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Spalding.

Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Meany came in on Saturday evening's train. They are on their return trip to their home in Los Angeles after an absence of several weeks. They have been spending time in England, and they have also spent some time in New York and Santa Fe visiting friends and relatives. They expect to remain here for a few weeks, during which time Mr. Meany will conduct services in the church of the Advent.

A telegram says that the Navajo Indians never have been in such misery as since 1888 when Kit Carson and his band of soldiers, corn and at Defiance. Extreme heat and drought in the Navajo country has ruined the ranges and the herds, cattle, sheep, and goats, and the Indians have had little else than horse meat to eat for some time, and unless the government comes to their assistance must starve during the winter.

During the four years and the editor's incumbency of the office of receiver of the United States land office, the total receipts aggregated \$2,433,333. Of this amount \$88,333.05 was received for sales of land and fees and commissions, \$6,426,622 for the sale of public lands and \$2,636,666 in the settlement of timber trespass cases. No commission or compensation of any kind are allowed for the transaction of the latter business. In addition to the above aggregate amount the receiver also turned over to his successor \$2,624,055 which was on deposit with him when he assumed his duties, and the same to be used for the purchase of timber the contracts of which have not yet been completed.

Manager C. M. Colburn of Castle Creek Hot Springs, has returned from the city where he recently met the directors of the company which operates the hotel there and will start at once the work on the improvement of the hotel. The new building is already gathering at the springs and a large force of workmen is steadily growing with the hotel opens for the coming winter season. Among the other improvements will be an extensive addition to the hotel, which is now completed and modern. The patronage last winter taxed the resources of the management throughout much of the season, and as the popularity of the resort is steadily growing with the people of the east, the directors decided that it would be necessary to extend a large sum of money and greatly increase the accommodations in order to keep pace with the demands from the public.

CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

A Large Volume of Business Transacted at the Regular Monthly Meeting.

At the last meeting of the council there were present on roll call, Brinkmeyer, Mulvenon, Richards and Mr. President and clerk.